Occidental Chemical Corporation

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Gentlemen:

Re: SPDES Permit No. NY0003336
Discharge Monitoring Report, March 1985
Occidental Chemical Corporation
Industrial & Specialty Chemicals

For the month of March 1985, Hooker's Niagara Plant was in compliance with all SPDES permit limits, except as listed below:

The toluene exceedence that occurred on March 6, 1985, of 10.98~lbs/day total plant loading was addressed in the February 1985 DMR. At that time, preliminary numbers were used to calculate and report the loading at 10.47~lbs/day. The March 20, 1985 toluene loading of 7.46~lbs/day met the permit limit of 9.0~lbs/day.

Subsequent to the February DMR, the following actions were taken to alleviate groundwater infiltration to Outfall 005, which has been determined to be a source for organic loadings to this sewer:

- a. All F-Area outfall process lines have been rerouted above grade. The discharge point is MH 159-G.
- b. The two (2) F-Area outfall stubs that discharge into the Outfall 005 main line have been permanently severed and plugged. An outside contractor and consultant were utilized in conjunction with OCC personnel to perform this work.

The Region 9 Office of the NYSDEC has been informed of this work and has inspected portions of this project.



Our permit requires periodic submission of summary data regarding the disposal of sludges produced by abatement systems associated with our outfalls. In compliance with this condition, the following table summarizes total sludge volumes for January to March 1985.

Source	Associated With Outfall	Disposed of at	Quantity Disposed Jan-March 1985
Mercury Abate- ment Mud	001	CECOS, Intl, Inc Tn of Niagara, NY and	0 Tons
		SCA Waste Services Tn of Porter, NY	0 Tons
Fluoride Treat- ment System	003	CECOS Intl, Inc Tn of Niagara, NY	

Should you have any questions regarding this submission, please contact me at 716-278-7587.

Very truly yours,

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GMD/c1 attachment SPDES/MONTHLY REPORT

cc: Regional Engineer - DEC, Buffalo

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Table 1

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OCCIDENTAL CHEMICAL CORPORATION HOOKER INDUSTRIAL & SPECIALTY CHEMICALS

OUTFALL

FLOWRATES:

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001-005

1b/D

005

ug/1 | 1b/D

(001) 0.571 MGD (003) 4.910MGD

 $(004) \overline{6.470}$ MGD

(005)13.90MGD

001-005

Total: 25.851 MGD

SPDES Halogenated Orgnic Monitoring Net Results in Micrograms/Liter and Lbs/Day

ug/1

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16/0

Average Flow For Time Period Energy Blvd Drain Flow: 0.002030 MGD ug/1 16/0 0.00

Monochlorotoluene	250	1.19	70	2.87	9	0.49	1010	117.09	121.64	3	0.00
Dichlorotoluene	44	0.21	5	0.20	1	0.05	36	4.17	4.63	 <1	0.00
Monochlorobenzotrifluoride	3_	0.01	13	0.53	~ ī	0.00	<1	0.00	0.54	 <u>~1</u>	0.00
Dichlorobenzotrifluoride	1*	0.00	~1	0.00	<1	0.00	<1	0.00	0.00	<1	0.00
Hexachlorocyclopentadiene		0.00	84	3.44	<u>~1</u>	0.00	<1	0.00	3.44	 2	0.00
Endosulfan (Thiodan)(2x/mo,005)	-			_	_	-	<1	0.00	0.00	-	
Chlorendic Acid (1x/mo, 005)	_		_	-	-	-	-	-		 -	
Monochlorobenzene	11	0.05	3	0.12	- 1	0.00	17	1.97	2.14	16	0.00
Dichlorobenzene	21	0.10	2	0.08	1	0.05	24	2.78	3.01	 10	0.00
Trichlorobenzene	31	0.15	4	0.16	< 1	0.00	30	3.48	3.79	 <1	0.00
Tetrachlorobenzene	28	0.13	3	0.12	< 1	0.00	16	1.85	2.10	<1	0.00
Trichloroethylene	1250	5.95	9	0.37	2	0.10	<1	0.00	6.42	 <1	0.00
Tetrachloroethylene .	270	1.29	940	38.49	12	0.65	<1	0.00	40.43	3	0.00
Hexachlorocyclohexane	1_	0.00	11	0.04	< 1	0.00	2	0.23	0.27	 3	0.00
Toluene	19_	0.09	6	0.25	34	1.83	76	8.81	10.98	3	0.00
TOTALS		9.1/		46.67		3.17		140.38	199.39		
Mirex (2x/yr, 003)			-		-						
*Interference at retention time											

or retention time shift

Sampling Date

Constituent

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Table 1A

OCCIDENTAL CHEMICAL CORPORATION HOOKER INDUSTRIAL & SPECIALTY CHEMICALS

OUTFALL

FLOWRATES: (001) 0.407 MGD (003)6.52 MGD

4.97 MGD (004)(005) 10.80 MGD

001-005

Total: 22.697 MGD

SPDES Halogenated Orgnic Monitoring Net Results in Micrograms/Liter and Lbs/Day

	1 (001	l o	03	l o	04	1 0	05	Total 001-005		y Blvd Drain
Constituent	ug/1	16/0	ug/1	16/0	ug/1	16/D	ug/1	1b/D	1b/D	Flow: ug/1	Tb/D MGD
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Monochlorotoluene	260	0.88	_53	2.88	9	0.37	1450	130.60	134.73		
Dichlorotoluene	98	0.33	3	0.16	11	0.04	19	1.71	2.24		
Monochlorobenzotrifluoride	<u> </u>	0.00	12	0.65	~1	0.00	~1	0.00	0.65		
Dichlorobenzotrifluoride	- 1	0.00	1	0.00	<u>- </u>	0.00	< 1	0.00	0.00		
Hexachlorocyclopentadiene	<u> </u>	0.00	52	2.83	<1	0.00	· 1	0.00	2.83		
Endosulfan (Thiodan)(2x/mo,005)		_		-	_	_	<1	0.00	0.00		
Chlorendic Acid (1x/mo, 005)			_	"	-	_	-	_	_		
Monochlorobenzene	10	0.03	3	0.16	~ 1	0.00	18	1.62	1.81		
Dichlorobenzene	14_	0.05	1	0.05	~ 1	0.00	26	2.34	2.44		
Trichlorobenzene	43_	0.15	3	0.16	<u> 1</u>	0.00	23	2.07	2.38		
Tetrachlorobenzene	60	0.20	1	0.05	<u>~1</u>	0.00	9	0.81	1.06		
Trichloroethylene	2110	7.16	33	1.79	2	0.08	<1	0.00	9.03		
Tetrachloroethylene	_410	1.39	330	17.94	14	0.58	~1	0.00	19.91		
Hexachlorocyclohexane		0.00	1	0.05	<u>~1</u>	0.00	2	0.18	0.23		
Toluene	19	0.06	3	0.16	5	0.21	78	7.03	7.46		
TOTALS		10.25		26.88		1.28		146.36			
Mirex (2x/yr, 003)		*	-				_				

^{*}Interference at retention time or retention time shift

3/20/85

Sampling Date

TABLE 2

OUTFALL 003S - HALOGENATED ORGANICS

DATE: MARCH 6, 1985

FLOW = 0.244 MGD

- CONSTITUENT	ug/l	Lb/Day
Monochlorobenzotrifluoride	420	0.85
Dichlorobenzotrifluoride	150	0.30
Monochlorotoluene	17	0.03
Dichlorotoluene	2	0.00
TOTAL		1.18